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The new State Library Advisory Council held its first meeting at the Library on May 3, 1971. The Council has been formed to advise the State Library Commission on development of the annual and long-range programs under the Library Services and Construction Act, and other relevant matters. Its membership includes six librarians and eight representatives of library users. Members include:

Larry Bowler, Station Manager, KCGM Radio, Scobey
Janet Carl, University of Montana, Missoula
Bert Corcoran, Superintendent, Rocky Boy School
Brother John Federowicz, C.S.C., Librarian, Carroll College, Helena
John Ford, President, Montana Association for the Blind, Bozeman
Mrs. Martha Hassell, Librarian, V. A. Center Library, Fort Harrison
Mrs. Inez Herrig, Librarian, Lincoln County Library, Libby
Mrs. Norma Kay Isern, Librarian, Carnegie Public Library, Lewistown
Dale Madson, Colburn School Supply Company, Billings
Douglas Mills, President-Elect, Montana Library Association, Missoula
James Nybo, Water Resources Board, Helena
James O'Dell, Principal, Whittier School, Butte
Mrs. Virginia Schulte, Librarian, Circle High School
Charlie Trott, Director of Education, Boulder River School and Hospital

Brother John Federowicz was elected chairman of the council, and James Nybo vice-chairman. The council discussed present and potential activities of the State Library under LSCA, and the need for increased communication between libraries and that segment of society which is not now using library materials and services. Also participating in the meeting were State Library staff members and Library Commission chairman William Conklin.

The State Library announces the appointment of Michele Sullivan as reference librarian, succeeding Mrs. Thyra Clay.

David Horn has joined the staff of Montana State University Library as Archivist. He replaces David Pobel, who is now Librarian in the Montebello Branch of the Los Angeles County Public Library System.

Montaniana:

The frightful punishment, Con Orem and Montana's great glove fights of the 1860's, by Warren J. Bier. University of Montana Press, 1969, \$5.95.
Montana, by Dorothy M. Johnson. An introduction to the past and present, people, industries, and natural resources. Coward-McCann, 1971, \$4.29.
None to give away, by Elsie Doig Townsend. Author was a Montana ranch wife, widowed with five pre-school children. Independence, Mo., Herald Publishing House, 1970, \$4.95.

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